

Historic
House

Wright,
Geo. W.

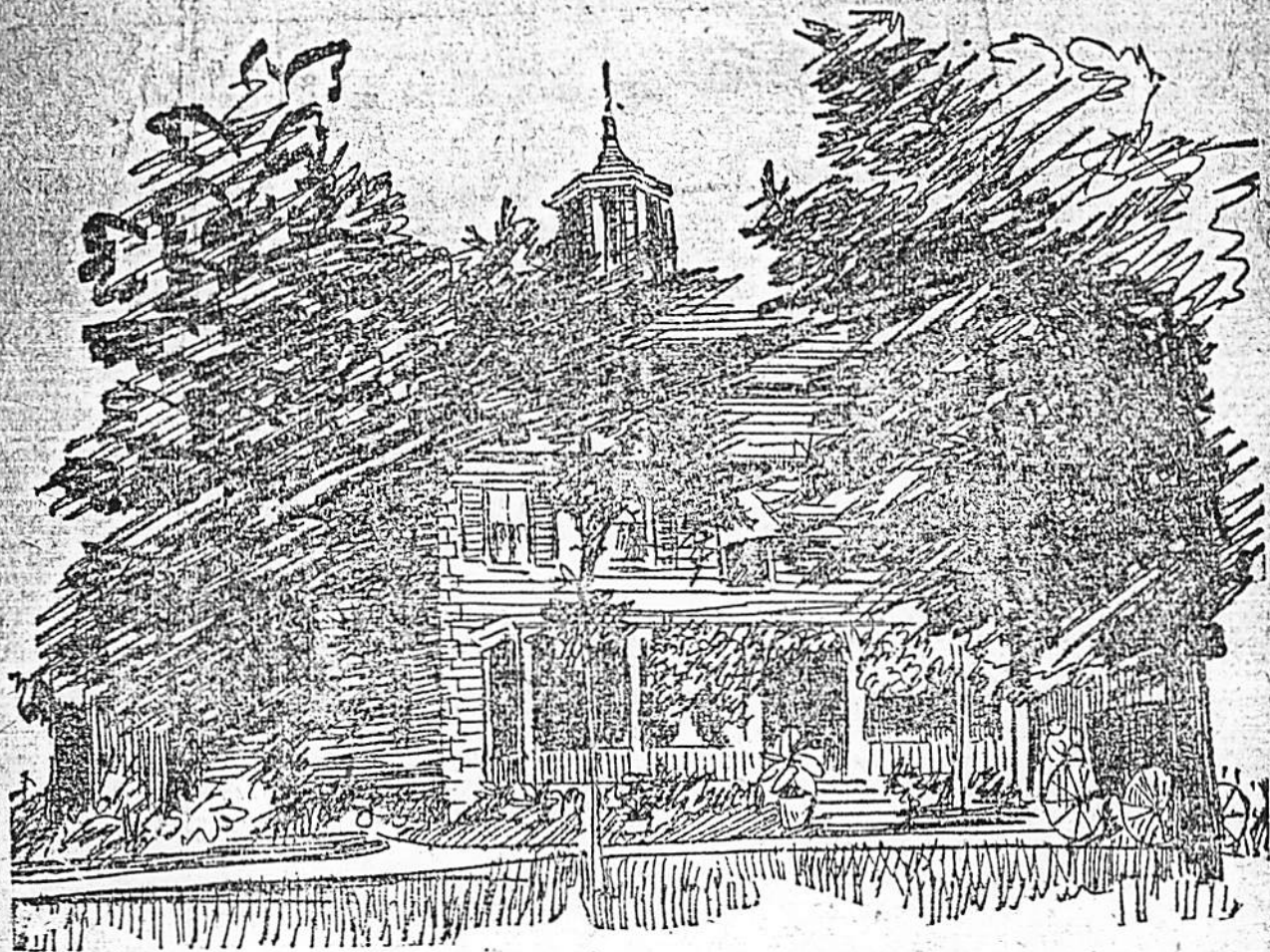
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Duxbury. To these gentlemen the good citizens of the village are indebted for much of the historic celebrity of their place.

In a work entitled "The Landing of the French Atlantic Cable" appears a picture of John Alden, a descendant of the Pilgrims. There is the abandon of Grant about the dress of the man. His features are full of character. A large, well-proportioned forehead, with a scant over-hanging crest of hair falls over a somewhat thick face, and a nose full of

the French Atlantic cable.

Duxbury is really worthy of a loftier and wider consideration on the part of historians and the lovers of New England, for just as the artistic sense and intellect entitles a man to a place in the world of letters, so the picturesque sense and lofty patriotic character of men like Myles Standish entitles a town like Duxbury to a high place in the world of American history. One of the recent and most beautiful homes of the village today is that of Mr. George W.



RESIDENCE OF GEORGE W. WRIGHT.

such physiognomical traits as Lavater used to rave over. The spirit of recumbent energy is apparent in the general appearance of the man, whilst the firm thin lips evince much of the genius of firmness. Such was the type of the stock of those days; their faces are a study, and their lives a wonder.

Of the well-known French Atlantic cable station located at Duxbury much interesting matter has been written. The station is by no means poetic in suggestiveness. It is a commonplace

Wright's. About the spacious grounds much landscape gardening taste has been evinced, and the sweetly palatial elegance of the interior of the house is in delicate harmony with the refined and exquisite courtesy of its host and hostess.

It is rather remarkable that the only class in New England approximating in any way to the leisure class of Europe is that of persons pleasantly advanced in life, for whom the activities of the morning of life have given place to an

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